

Presumptive Medical

Preliminary Report Follow-Up

LEOFF Plan 2 Retirement Board

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Issue Description

Law enforcement officers in LEOFF Plan 2 do not have any occupational illness & injury presumptions

Presumption

- Presumption in Washington State
 - Fire Fighters: Heart, Respiratory, Cancer, Disease
 - Does not apply to law enforcement
- Federal/PSOB: Heart
- States: 64% Law Enforcement presumption

Option 1

■ Create Law Enforcement Presumption for Heart Problems

- Heart problems within 24 hours of physical exertion due to "law enforcement activities"
- Requires definition of "law enforcement activities"
- Twenty-two states and federal government have law enforcement heart presumption

Option 2

■ Create Law Enforcement Presumption for Infectious Diseases

- Law enforcement included under same infectious disease presumption as fire fighters
 - HIV/AIDS
 - Hepatitis (all strains)
 - Meningococcal Meningitis
 - Mycobacterium Tuberculosis
- Nineteen states have infectious disease presumption

Option 3

■ Presumption for Cancer

- Requires definition of which cancers are included within presumption
- Five other states have law enforcement cancer presumption

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Questions?
